

## GENERAL LAWS

### (TEMPORARY)

#### CHAPTER 34

##### COMPENSATION OF STATE EXAMINERS OF ACCOUNTS

S. F. 32

AN ACT to amend chapter fifty-one (51), Acts of the Fiftieth General Assembly, relating to compensation of county, municipal and school examiners and their assistants.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. Amend Chapter fifty-one (51) of the acts of the Fiftieth  
2 General Assembly by striking the figure five (5) in the last line of  
3 section two (2) of said act and inserting the figure seven (7).

1 SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take  
2 effect and be in full force from and after its passage and publication in  
3 the Hampton Chronicle,\* a newspaper published at Hampton, Iowa,  
4 and the Burlington Gazette, a newspaper published at Burlington,  
5 Iowa.

Approved February 15, 1945.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Hampton Chronicle, Hampton, Iowa, February 22, 1945, and the Burlington Gazette, Burlington, Iowa, February 20, 1945.

WAYNE M. ROPES, *Secretary of State.*

\*According to enrolled act.

#### CHAPTER 35

##### EMERGENCY FUND TAX

H. F. 198

AN ACT legalizing an emergency fund levy for cities having a population of not less than twenty-six thousand or more than twenty-seven thousand as shown by the last census.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. Any city having a population of not less than 26,000  
2 nor more than 27,000, as shown by the last census, shall have the  
3 power to assess and levy in addition to the emergency fund tax already  
4 provided, an additional emergency fund tax levy not to exceed one (1)  
5 mill for the years 1945 and 1946, notwithstanding the limitations of  
6 Section three hundred seventy-three (373), Code, 1939.

1 SEC. 2. This Act being deemed of immediate importance shall be  
2 in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication in  
3 the Clinton Herald, a newspaper published at Clinton, Iowa, and the

4 Perry Daily Chief, a newspaper published at Perry, Iowa, without  
5 expense to the state of Iowa.

Approved April 10, 1945.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Clinton Herald, Clinton, Iowa, May 1, 1945, and the Perry Daily Chief, Perry, Iowa, April 21, 1945.

WAYNE M. ROPES, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 36

### ABSENT VOTING BY ARMED FORCES

S. F. 199

AN ACT to provide facilities for qualified electors of the state of Iowa serving in the armed forces of the United States to vote at the primary and general elections in the year 1946 and each election year thereafter during the continuance of the present war and for one (1) year thereafter, by casting absent voter's ballots and to that end to advance the dates for filing nomination papers, affidavits of candidacy, certificates of candidacies and nominations by modifying the provisions of sections five hundred thirty-seven (537), five hundred thirty-nine (539), five hundred forty-seven (547), five hundred forty-eight (548), six hundred one (601), and six hundred seventeen (617), code, 1939, to modify the provisions of chapters 37.1 and 37.2, code, 1939, as to time of filing nominations and candidacies, objections, withdrawals, making certifications which are provided for in sections six hundred fifty-five and four-hundredths (655.04), six hundred fifty-five and nine-hundredths (655.09), and six hundred fifty-five and fourteen hundredths (655.14), code, 1939; also amending section seven hundred seventy-four (774), code, 1939, relating to cost of printing absent voter's ballots; also amending section nine hundred thirty-seven (937), code, 1939, relating to time when qualified voters in the armed forces may vote personally; to modify the provisions as to registration and absent voting insofar as it shall apply to voters in the armed forces of the United States by making sections nine hundred twenty-eight (928), nine hundred thirty (930), and nine hundred thirty-one (931), code, 1939, inapplicable to such voting, and providing the method of obtaining ballots and authorizing specially printed war ballots; creating and prescribing the duties and powers of the Iowa war ballot commission; providing for obtaining and distributing by the state printing board of specially required materials, and making appropriations for carrying out the provisions of this act.

WHEREAS, it is desirable to afford every facility for the exercise of the elective franchise by qualified electors of the State of Iowa who are serving in the armed forces of the United States, insofar as it is possible to do so, and

WHEREAS, any enactment by the National Congress purporting to provide facilities for electors in the armed forces to vote would be ineffectual insofar as State and local officers are concerned, and would be of doubtful constitutionality under the provisions of the Constitution of the United States,

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. The provisions of this Act shall apply only to the Pri-  
2 mary and General elections to be held in the State of Iowa in June  
3 and November respectively in the year 1946 and each election year  
4 thereafter during the continuance of the present war and for one  
5 year thereafter. This act is designed to facilitate the voting in said  
6 elections by qualified electors of the State of Iowa who are serving  
7 in the armed forces of the United States, irrespective of what part